SERIES TRAINING FOR PCC PARTICIPANTS

Session 14: Review/Conclusion



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- "General" exercise discussion
- Questions?
- Information from Cooperative Cataloging Team

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Discussion of "General" exercise

[Paper answers]

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- Questions now?
- Questions after today?
 - Check documentation and training materials
 - Discuss with other catalogers
 - If about training materials, contact trainer
 - If about SARs, contact liaison
 - If about PCC, contact Coop Cat Team, RCCD

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Information from Cooperative Cataloging Team, RCCD

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- Series Institute is part of PCC NACO, administered by Coop Team at LC
- Program support, documentation, training materials, communications
- Consultation with LC Cataloging Policy and Support Office
- NACO authorizations from utilities

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Review before independence

- Basic NACO independence is a pre-requisite
- Classroom instruction
- Review period
- Independence before direct contribution to utility

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Connexion review procedures

- Submit to review file
- Notify reviewer by email (be sure to include OCLC code)
- Ask brief questions or cite rules in 952 otherwise, use email
- If your institution is independent for series, then you can be reviewed locally
- Otherwise an LC reviewer will be assigned

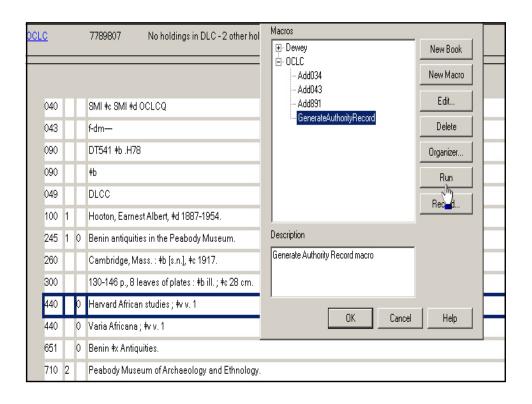
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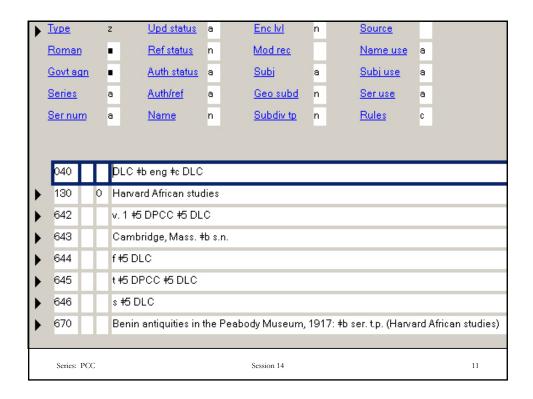
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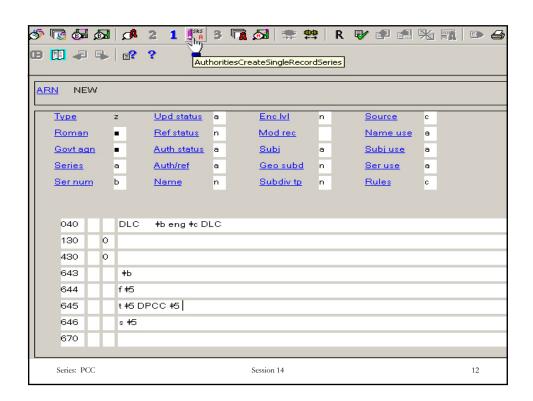
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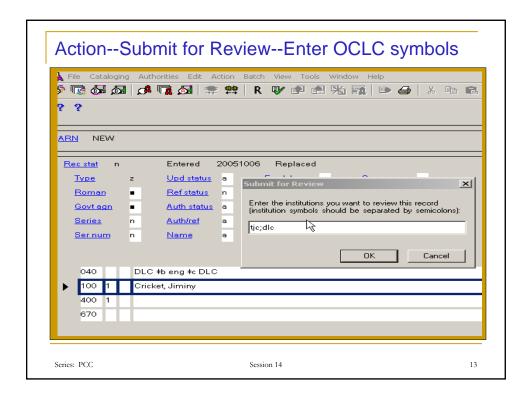
- OCLC documentation:
- http://www.oclc.org/support/document ation/connexion/browser/authorities/cr eate_auth_records/
- PCC documentation for review (browser and client use similar concepts):
- http://www.loc.gov/catdir/pcc/naco/co nnexion-naco.pdf

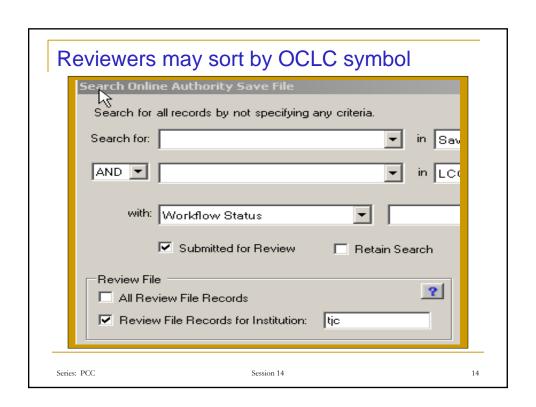
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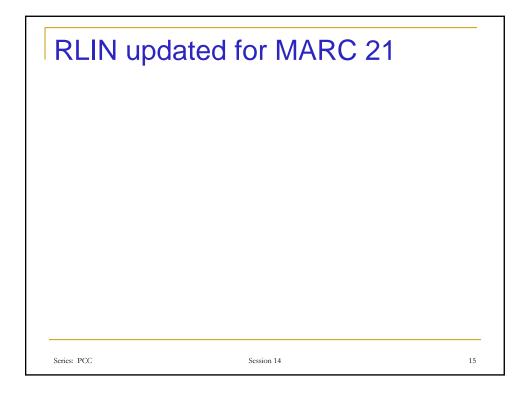


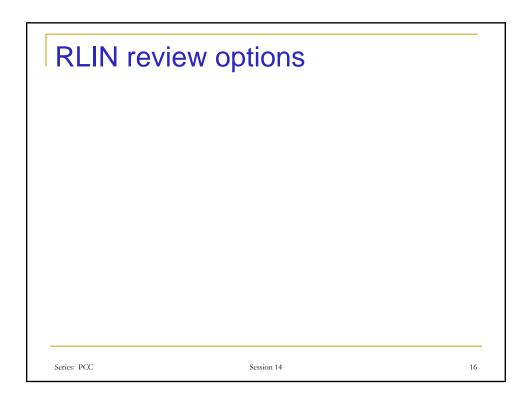












What kind? How many?

- Send both easy and tough records
- Send lots, but no more than 10-15 at a time
- Make corrections before sending more
- Use the 952 for questions and comments

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Send separate emails

- Avoid overloading emails with multi-problems. You may group:
 - Several record ID numbers for review
 - Several simple duplicates, cancellations
 - Several routine BFM reports
 - But! only one nasty problem per message

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Non-roman records

- Send both SAR and surrogate pages for items
- Label them for easy matching
- Fax to reviewer
- LC Coop Team's fax 202-252-2082

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Formal review

- After initial review, formal review toward independence
- A representative range of records (language, levels of difficulty)
- In sufficient volume
- No more than 10% error rate in areas that affect access

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After gaining independence...

- Independent library handles its own review and quality control
- Send queries to LC Liaison as needed
- Send bib record IDs with BFM, if possible
- Adjust duplicates before sending, and tell which to keep and which to cancel

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Keep work current

- Avoid backlog in local or utility save files
- 24-hour rule-- Any record that's been in a save file for over 24 hours must have 1XX and 4XX searched before contribution!!

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One NACO contact

- To keep communications straight, one NACO contact works with a reviewer
- Have a back-up NACO contact
- Provide continuity when staff changes
- Help us update our databases

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Keep in touch

- Let us know if problems arise
- Follow up if queries are unanswered
- Coordinator Series PCC 2005
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 dsaa@loc.gov

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Track your contributions

- Semi-annual stats on web page:
 - www.loc.gov/catdir/pcc/stats/stats.html
- Monthly contribution stats appear sorted by institution name
- New and changed SARs count toward annual institutional goals

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Training resources online

Training Materials for PCC Series Institutes:

http://www.loc.gov/catdir/pcc/naco/series/serieshp. html

Training Materials for NACO workshops:

http://www.loc.gov/catdir/pcc/naco/trainees.html

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Subscribe to PCClist

- Announcements, policy changes, discussions
- List limited to contributing PCC libraries
- Send message to LC Liaison or NACO Coordinator to subscribe name(s):

dsaa@loc.gov David Saah

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Visit the PCC Web page

- PCC governance and programs
- Calendar
- Announcements, archives, stats
- Documentation, FAQs, and links http://www.loc.gov/catdir/pcc/

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Meet PCC partners at ALA

- SACO workshops
- PCC Participants
- BIBCO/CONSER-at-Large meetings
- Agendas and Summaries on PCC web page

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Other training opportunities

- SACO workshops at ALA
- BIBCO training at your institution
- CONSER training at your institution
- Train the NACO/BIBCO/Series Trainer

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Complete evaluations and send

Online evaluation is the best option:

http://www.loc.gov/catdir/pcc/naco/series/series eval.html

 If you use paper evaluation form —prefer other shipping services over USPS to avoid security screening delays

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